

**Northfield Youth Baseball Association
Board of Directors Meeting
Sunday, July 21, 2019
7:30 pm
Granite Equities Offices**

ADMIN

Facilities - the City will hold off until August for any future fixes needed to Post fields.

Some workdays will be scheduled to complete ongoing projects and field clean up in late summer/early fall

FINANCIAL

Positive trend for the budget - some items a bit screwed due to timing issues

TRAVEL

Fall Ball - NYBA will help with logistics (ie concessions, field assignments, umps) NYBA will not roster teams

Postseason age group meetings will be set up

Ross will be creating and sending player feedback surveys to coaches

SMCBL - Daniel took on many roles for this league in 2019. This is not necessarily a viable option going forward.

Should a level coordinator role be created?

Should we charge more and look at hiring a coach? Parent involvement has historically been low.

Should we turn this age group over to community ed to run along with their program?

INHOUSE

Classic tournament will be held this weekend - plans are in place. There will be no Friday games this year. All bracket play will be held on Saturday.

Rookies will have a double elimination tournament

Minors will have a single elimination tournament

MISC

Umpire behavioral issue -

Board had a discussion regarding an umpire using foul language during Minors league games. Immediately following the incident discussion was had at the field with coaches, Megan Kraby, Daniel Hollerun and the umpire regarding the incident.

Megan sent emails to coaches and parents to address the issue that same evening.

The individual will no longer be employed as an umpire with the NYBA effective immediately.

Further investigation will be had and upon completion of that investigation the status of the individual as a player for the 2020 season will be determined. A meeting with the parents, player and board member should be held prior to the season to discuss the player's ongoing status.